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Ben's Manist, suppose you trot out a few of your Democratic notions. We'd like to hear 'em crow over these good times—the good Democratic good times that you promised us.

Will the agriculturist who edits the pumpkin-patch department of *The Evening Bulletin* please tell his readers just how much less wealth is worth now than it was last fall? He is the man with the long memory.

Just now the editorial column of the *Bulletin* is filled chiefly with opinions from Republican newspapers. Last fall the Editor couldn't be induced to believe what a Republican said, but now that he has no opinions of his own, it is pleasing to observe that he knows where to apply for them.

The American Tinplate Factory at Elwood, Ind., has resumed work after a shut down of three weeks. It employs 900 men.—*Evening Bulletin*.

Phew! Why, Ben, Manist, you know that isn't so. There isn't an American Tinplate Factory in existence, and you know it. At least that is what you have been telling your readers all along, and we know you wouldn't lie about a little thing like that.

At Salda, Col., last August the Editor of *The Ledger* heard a Democratic orator charge the Republican with responsibility for a "standing army of tramps." Wonder who is responsible for the "walking army of tramps" that the following telegram tells about:

SEDALIA, Mo., July 27th.—Two hundred and fifty men claiming to be from Colorado marched through here to-day on their way East, where they say they hope to obtain employment. Men are tramping East continually over the line of the Missouri Pacific.

And what "change" brought about a proclamation like this:

MAYOR'S OFFICE.  
CITY OF DENVER, July 27th, 1893.  
All citizens of our city and state are earnestly requested at this time to refrain from congregating in the streets and elsewhere, and speakers are requested to refrain from addressing all assemblages of abiding men and others. The state, county and city are doing everything possible to help the needy. Let us have no unnecessary excursions.

MARTIN D. VAN HORN, Mayor.

## HOW IT STANDS.

THE VOTE FOR MAYSVILLE'S NEXT POSTMASTER.

A Chance to Make Known Their Favorites Given to "Ledger" Readers—Send to Your Vote.

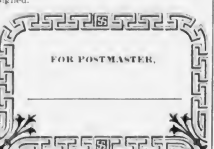
Whom do you want to be Postmaster of Maysville during the Administration of President Cleveland?

Fill out the attached ballot with the name of your favorite and send or bring to THE LEDGER Office.

The candidates, whose applications are understood to be on file, are Major T. J. Chenoweth, the Druggist at Second and Sutton streets; R. H. Lovel, Grocer, Third and Market streets; M. E. Marsh, Editor of *The Evening Bulletin*.

It is a free-for-all contest, however, and a vote cast for any citizen of Maysville will be duly counted.

The balloting will continue until August 1st, 1893, and for your choice of names. No vote will be counted unless made out on the following ballot. No name need be signed.



The popular will, thus expressed, may aid Congressman Porter in making a selection as it is agreed that his recommendation will have great influence with the President.

THE RESULT TO DATE.  
A count of the ballots shows that at this date the vote for Postmaster stands—

Major Thomas J. Chenoweth	1,489
Hon. R. H. Lovel	36
M. E. Marsh	10
Thomas A. Davis	2,540
W. H. Wadsworth, Jr.	2
P. W. Wheeler	2
Jos. E. Cullen	2
Ad. McCallahan	2
A. Wendt	15
John Butler	2,654
A. G. Browning	26
R. E. Frost	19
R. E. Frost	11

**World's Fair Train.**  
C. and O. train No. 17, leaving Huntington at 4:40 a.m., reaching Cincinnati at 12:25 noon, makes direct connection for Chicago, reaching the World's Fair City before 1 p.m. By this train passengers are sure of secure comfortable seats and avoiding expense of Pullman service.

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## NOTICE!

In accordance with the instructions of the Board of Public Instruction, the following notice is hereby given: That the examination required for admission to the State Normal School at Maysville, Ky., will be held on August 1st, 1893, at 10 o'clock a.m. in the building of the State Normal School. The examination will be in the subjects of English, History, Geography, and Mathematics. The successful candidates will be notified by the Board of Public Instruction.

THOMAS H. PRITCHER, County Clerk.

M. E. FRANKS, County Clerk.

## BANK FAILURES.

Two Hundred Nationals Collapse Since January 1, 1893.

Controller Eckels Makes Statements to Refute the Above Assertion.

Instead of Two Hundred Having Failed, He Says That But One Hundred and Five Have Come Into His Hands Since That Time—Figures and Data.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—A press dispatch from Washington recently announced that over 200 national banks had failed since the first of January, 1893. Controller of the Currency Eckels, in order to refute this assertion has carefully prepared a statement of the national bank failures since January 1. This statement is as follows: "Recent dispatches having appeared in the newspapers to the effect that since January 1, 1893, two hundred national banks have failed, the following statement has been prepared that the public may be properly informed: Of the total of 800 having closed their doors, 103 have gone into the hands of the controller of the currency. Fourteen of this number have since been re-opened under favorable conditions and secure the confidence of the communities where located, and during the ensuing week it is said several others will have the requirements of the controller and reopen, while prior to September 1, an equal number will re-open. Out of the total of 103 closed, but 37 have gone into the hands of receivers, the balance either having re-opened or are still in the hands of examiners, with strong prospects of reopening.

Five of the 103 banks are capitalized in the amount of \$1,000,000; one at \$500,000, six at \$200,000, 30 at \$100,000 and the remaining at \$50,000, \$25,000, \$10,000 and less, but more than \$5,000, the greater number however, being from \$10,000 to \$100,000. By geographical sections the failures are distributed as follows: New England states, 2; eastern states, 8; middle and Mississippi valley states, 15; northern states, 6; western states, 15; southern states, 25; total 103.

The bank failures by states are as follows: Alabama, 1; California, 2; Colorado, 15; Florida, 2; Georgia, 3; Illinois, 3; Indiana, 3; Iowa, 2; Kansas, 2; Kentucky, 2; Michigan, 2; Mississippi, 1; Missouri, 2; Montana, 2; Nebraska, 2; New Hampshire, 2; New Mexico, 1; New York, 2; North Carolina, 1; North Dakota, 2; Ohio, 3; Oklahoma, 1; Oregon, 2; South Dakota, 2; Tennessee, 2; Texas, 7; Utah, 2; Washington, 10; Wisconsin, 1; Wyoming, 1.

It is to be observed that there have been no failures of national banks in twenty-one states and territories. It is further worthy of note that no national bank has failed in the city of Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Baltimore, Virginia, Buffalo, Cincinnati, St. Louis, New Orleans, San Francisco, Minneapolis, St. Paul and no national bank has failed in any of the one or two great commercial centers, and that but one has closed in New York, two in Chicago and one in Milwaukee. The cause of the failures in New York and Chicago were due largely to mismanagement as were numerous others. Local causes have caused many of the failures.

Of the banks failed, nine were robbed by officials who are under arrest. After giving the names of the four failed banks that have reopened, Mr. Eckels says: "Many more will reopen, as the majority of those recently failed are absolutely solvent, and only closed through an unwarranted lack of confidence in them, causing disastrous runs."

## OPEN ON SUNDAYS.

Heretofore such will be the case at the World's Fair—Judge Meigs' Order Good. CHICAGO, July 25.—Unless the officials of the exposition violate their word, given in Judge Meigs' court Friday morning, the gates of the fair will be wide open Sunday next. Not only this, but the buildings will not be closed, and an open Sunday in every respect is secured. The cause of the failure to open on Sunday was not in force, and has been concluded that the wisest course is to open it. Then, too, the officials do not want to play thousands of dollars in doubt or contempt. Upon the filing of briefs and answers Friday the court gave Attorney Meigs until Monday to reply. When this had been done Director General Davis, President Higginbotham and Gen. St. Clair conferred together and secured Attorney Meigs that the fair would be open Sunday.

Meigs in a Court-Room.

NEW ORLEANS, July 25.—A lynchings in the central court, was narrowly averted Friday night, and had there not been a detail of policemen in the building, Louis O. DesForges would have been killed by the mob. DesForges, a brother-in-law, whom he killed in April last. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty. The jurymen were threatened with death by the mob as they passed by a rear entrance.

Ohio Pension Hearing.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—The following Ohio pension cases were heard and were appointed Friday: Eva Toleda, Dr. Fred Jennings; Toledo, Dr. J. L. Lawrence, James Kennedy; Norwalk, A. C. Culbertson, A. C. Freeman; Ravenna, H. A. Tidwell, F. P. Ke.

Shot By a Burglar.

KENT, O., July 25.—Nelson Converse discovered a burglar in his house Friday morning. The burglar was caught and both men were wounded. The burglar is a stranger and is lying in jail, and cannot be named.

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## CONDENSED NEWS

Derived From All Parts of the Country by Telegraph.

Five Friday on the docks at Bercy, France, destroyed 10,000 casks and 500 hogheads of wine. The loss is \$200,000. The number of people who will go from Colorado to the Chicago Silver convention will number nearly three hundred.

R. A. McConnell, a prominent lumber dealer of Knoxville, Tenn., was run over by the cars at Jellico and killed Friday morning.

Two Italian women wives of farmers, have petitioned Gov. Flower for permission to wear men's clothing while they work in the field.

The dates for the annual international cricket match, United States vs. Canada, have been fixed by the Canadian association for September 11 and 13 at Toronto.

Cornelius N. Bliss is authority for the statement that 5,000 operatives in cotton mills in Massachusetts, Maine and Rhode Island are idle, the works having shut down.

The Portuguese government has declared Naples and all the ports of Senegal to be infected with cholera, and all ports forty miles northwest of Naples to be suspected of infection.

Ex-Sheriff Curtis, of Brooke county, was brought to jail Friday morning. Investigation shows that the amount of Curtis' shortage in state and county funds will be over \$40,000.

Two persons are dead and several others seriously injured as a result of a fire on the south side, Pittsburgh, Friday. The fire was caused by an explosion of stove-pipe, which a pedlar was using on the stove.

Ada Hiers, a colored woman, was hanged at Warburton, S. Africa, for the murder of her half brother. She confessed on the scaffold that she had fathered, who was also convicted, but repudiated by Mrs. Tillman, had nothing to do with the crime.

The movement of currency to the interior points from New York city was hampered last Friday, as bills dated at July 1, 1893, were not yet issued. The scarcity of small bills compelled some of the banks to ship 100,000 silver dollars to out-of-town correspondents.

Ex-Sheriff J. L. Curtis, of Brooke county, W. Va., was arrested on the charge of embezzlement. His bondsmen in the office of sheriff made the charge, and the amount alleged to have been embezzled is \$15,000. He was sent to jail in default of \$10,000 bond.

The handsome suburban residence of Mr. Dan P. Ellis at River Bank, near Cleveland, O., was totally destroyed by fire. All the valuable works of art, reliques and possessions gathered together in a lifetime were in the house, and all were lost. The total loss will probably reach \$100,000.

Ray Earl, eighty years old, harnessed from New Haven, Ct., to walk to Chicago on a wager of \$100 that he can cover the distance in thirty-two days and take with him no money for food or other purposes except what is necessary to pay forages, trusting to luck and the generosity of his trip to obtain sustenance for him on the way.

A Senator to Resign.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—It is currently reported that Senator A. C. Beckwith of Wyoming, who is about to tender his resignation, rumor has it that Mr. Beckwith and the governor have agreed respecting federal appointments.

## THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, July 25.

Flour—Spring patent, 75¢; range 75¢; winter, 70¢; extra, 65¢; family, 60¢; extra, 55¢; extra, 50¢; extra, 45¢; extra, 40¢; extra, 35¢; extra, 30¢; extra, 25¢; extra, 20¢; extra, 15¢; extra, 10¢; extra, 5¢; extra, 0¢.

Wheat—No. 1, 90¢; No. 2, 85¢; No. 3, 80¢; No. 4, 75¢; No. 5, 70¢; No. 6, 65¢; No. 7, 60¢; No. 8, 55¢; No. 9, 50¢; No. 10, 45¢; No. 11, 40¢; No. 12, 35¢; No. 13, 30¢; No. 14, 25¢; No. 15, 20¢; No. 16, 15¢; No. 17, 10¢; No. 18, 5¢; No. 19, 0¢.

Corn—No. 1, 45¢; No. 2, 40¢; No. 3, 35¢; No. 4, 30¢; No. 5, 25¢; No. 6, 20¢; No. 7, 15¢; No. 8, 10¢; No. 9, 5¢; No. 10, 0¢.

Oats—No. 1, 30¢; No. 2, 25¢; No. 3, 20¢; No. 4, 15¢; No. 5, 10¢; No. 6, 5¢; No. 7, 0¢.

Barley—No. 1, 35¢; No. 2, 30¢; No. 3, 25¢; No. 4, 20¢; No. 5, 15¢; No. 6, 10¢; No. 7, 5¢; No. 8, 0¢.

Hay—No. 1, 15¢; No. 2, 10¢; No. 3, 5¢; No. 4, 0¢.

Butter—No. 1, 20¢; No. 2, 15¢; No. 3, 10¢; No. 4, 5¢; No. 5, 0¢.

Eggs—No. 1, 10¢; No. 2, 5¢; No. 3, 0¢.

Pork—No. 1, 15¢; No. 2, 10¢; No. 3, 5¢; No. 4, 0¢.

Lard—No. 1, 10¢; No. 2, 5¢; No. 3, 0¢.

Flour—No. 1, 75¢; No. 2, 70¢; No. 3, 65¢; No. 4, 60¢; No. 5, 55¢; No. 6, 50¢; No. 7, 45¢; No. 8, 40¢; No. 9, 35¢; No. 10, 30¢; No. 11, 25¢; No. 12, 20¢; No. 13, 15¢; No. 14, 10¢; No. 15, 5¢; No. 16, 0¢.

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